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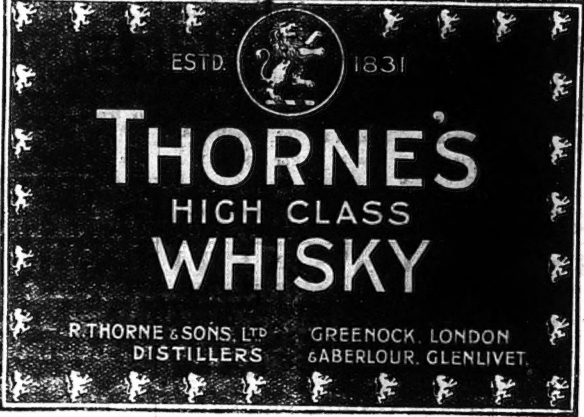
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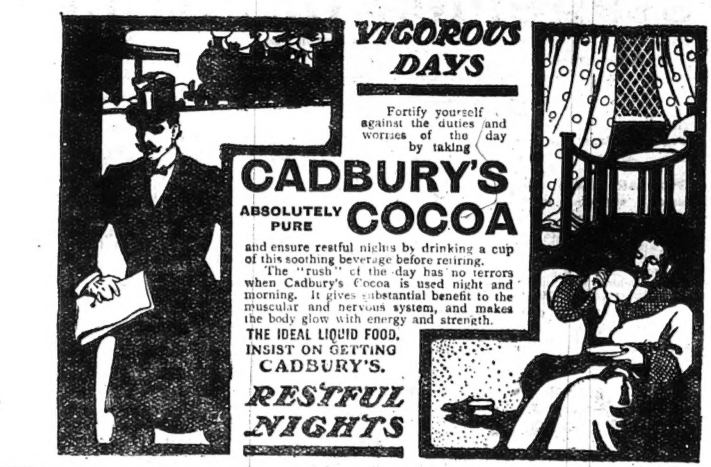
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## THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY.

The General Assembly has not surprised us.

The assurance that its proposals were likely, nay, certain, to be moderate and reasonable, might impose upon visiting M.P.'s, but our opinion of the mentality of that august body has been in every way confirmed. We do not deny that many of its resolutions were commendable—indeed some were excellent. We have not the slightest objection to new railways, canals, girls schools or colleges,—on the contrary. But we do object to the proposals for placing the financial and general administration of the country under the control of a Parliament or of a reorganised General Assembly if either of those bodies—still happily in nubibus—contain the men of whose financial ideas we had more than a glimpse on Sunday. We do not wish to discuss the question of a Parliament here. We merely wish to point out that the Assembly calls for a heavy expenditure on education, railways, and school buildings; it demands the suppression of school fees, the incurring by the State of large expenses on numerous beneficial objects, and in the same breath votes the suppression of the date tax and unanimously opposes a worthy member who suggests that universal free education be introduced, its cost to be covered by a rate levied on agricultural land. In short, the Government is to be asked to spend more and take less than the little it now gets from the average Egyptian tax-payer, unless, indeed, our sages of the Assembly have some wonderful scheme for raising money up their sleeves. Very significant, too, is the fact that those who demand education at all costs refuse to endure the prospect of paying the rates! What self-sacrifice, what devotion to principle, and what a blow to those who believed that eading Egyptians would submit to a small pecuniary inconvenience for the sake of the children of their poorer neighbours!

We beg our contemporary, the "Egyptian Standard," recently launched amidst the plaudits of that particular section of the Nationalist party which follows Mustapha Pasha Kamel, to devote a little attention to this subject. Mr. Charles Rudy and Mr. Moloney should have a little sarcasm to spare now and then for Egyptians, or are they compelled by contract to criticise none but their countrymen and to generalise concerning officials, soldiers, tourists, and Britons in general on the strength of the impoliteness or immorality of a very limited number of individuals, to the exclusion of all "subject races"?

We have seen what is to be thought of the financial proposals of the men who dream of ruling Egypt. Here is a contrast—the work of the men who have ruled Egypt:

The accounts for the year 1906 show that the revenue amounted to £13,837,000, and the expenditure to £13,160,000, thus leaving a surplus of £677,000. Recent calculations reveal the fact that during the last twenty years, extraordinary expenditure to the extent of £19,303,000 has been incurred for irrigation, railways, and public buildings. There is now an unpaid balance of £4,702,000 in the Reserve Fund. Also, the Caisse de la Dette holds £3,050,000 as reserve fund and working balance. These figures make a total of £31,055,000. Of this amount, only £3,610,000 has been borrowed. The remainder, amounting to £27,445,000, has been provided out of surplus revenue. As regards the continuation of remunerative public works, even when the amount now in the Reserve Fund is expended, it is estimated that, when the Domains Loan, which has now been reduced to about £1,900,000, is paid off, the land remaining at the disposal of the Government will be worth at least from £0,000 to £6,000,000.

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## Salt &amp; Soda Co.

The head offices of the Egyptian Salt & Soda Company, Limited, will be definitely installed at Alexandria on the 25th inst.

## Judicial Promotions.

The decrees relating to judicial promotions and transfers have now been signed, and will probably be published to-day or to-morrow.

## Excursion Steamer.

The Hamburg-America Line's yacht Moltke left Alexandria yesterday for Jaffa with a number of tourists who have been visiting Cairo.

## The Brindisi Mail.

The mail from Europe, via Port Said and Brindisi, arrived at Alexandria this afternoon and will be distributed at the G. P. O. at 4.45 p.m.

## P. O. Savings Bank.

The total deposits in the Post Office Savings Bank during January amounted to L.E. 56,083, and the withdrawals to L.E. 24,326 leaving a balance in hand of L.E. 316,803. The number of depositors is now 60,986.

## Dean Butler Testimonial Fund.

We may remind our readers that the private meeting of the subscribers to the Dean Butler Testimonial Fund will be held at the British Agency in Cairo at 6 p.m., on Friday, 8th inst.

## Egyptian Journalism.

Mr. Bernie M. Wainfield, late managing editor of the "Egyptian Morning News," is bringing an action for damages against Idris Pasha Ragheb, the proprietor of the paper, in connection with the circumstances of his dismissal from the post.

## A. L. M. &amp; Co.

The committee of the Alexandria Literary, Musical and Dramatic Society announce a vocal and instrumental concert which is to be given at Lufft's concert-room, Rattatou Avenue, on Friday next at 9.15 p.m. We are requested to state that last year's members will be admitted free, no subscriptions being called for this year. Non-members' tickets may be had at P.T. 5.

## Anglo-American Hospital.

We would remind our readers of the ball to be given at the Ghezireh Casino to-morrow evening in aid of the funds of the Anglo-American Hospital. Apart from the fact that the ball promises to be a huge social success, the object is deserving of the widest support. In another column of to-day's issue our readers will find a résumé of the hospital accounts for the past year.

## Tourist's Suicide.

A young American tourist, named Talbot Cook, committed suicide on Monday evening at the Eden Palace Hotel, Cairo, by shooting himself with a revolver in his own room. His body was removed to the Government Hospital for a post-mortem examination. The motive of the suicide is attributed to the unfortunate man's having despaired of recovering from a serious disease from which he was suffering.

## Purification of Alexandria.

It is evident that the local police authorities have not abandoned the task of the purification of Alexandria, about which so much has been heard some little time ago. An arrêté is about to be issued (which will come into force thirty days after publication in the "Journal Officiel") whereby denizens of the demimonde will be restricted to certain streets of the city. Empowered by this arrêté, Youshah Blattner, who is in charge of the morality Department, will be better able to cope with this social scourge.

## The Plague.

Yesterday's plague bulletin shows that this disease is gaining a stronger hold. One case and one death is reported from Mansout; one fatal case and one recovery from Tahia; one case, two deaths and a recovery from Bahiana; five cases (four fatal) and one death from Ghirgeh; one death from Nag Hamadi, and two cases (one fatal) and a death from Bineh. During the week ending the 4th inst. there were 64 cases of plague, of which no less than 28 occurred at Bahiana and 12 in the Assiout Moudirieh. The total number of deaths since 1st January is 125.

LOST.—A Borch (pearls and diamonds in the form of a circle; one pearl missing). Lost somewhere on the way from No. 30 Sharia Seliman Pacha, down the Sharia Kasr-el-Nil. Sharia Manikh, Continental Hotel steps, and the Mousky. Will the finder please communicate with the Hon. Mrs. Home, 30, Sharia Seliman Pacha, Cairo. 29722-1-1

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## AMERICAN CONSULAR AGENCY.

## NEW AGENT APPOINTED.

There is to be a change in the American Consular Agency in Alexandria. Mr. James Hewat, who has occupied the position to the great satisfaction of the American Government for 12 years, retires, and is to be succeeded by Mr. Alexander Powell, an American citizen.

Mr. Hewat has received from the Department of State at Washington the assurance that no reason exists for the change, except the new policy of the American Government to fill all consular positions whenever possible by American citizens. Mr. Iddings, American Diplomatic Agent and Consul-General at Cairo, has written to Mr. Hewat to thank him formally for his long and faithful services, to assure him of the high esteem in which the Washington authorities hold him, and to express his (Mr. Iddings') own deep regret at the severance of their official relations.

Mr. Powell, who has been Deputy Consul General at Byrrout, has arrived in Alexandria, but has not yet taken possession of his post. He is staying at the New Victoria Hotel, Ramleh.

## IMPORTANT NEW COMPANY.

The reason of M. Henri de Vries' recent departure for Europe is in order to constitute the European board of directors of De Vries and Boutigny, Limited. The company will be re-incorporated under English law with a capital of £300,000, of which £297,500 will be in ordinary shares and the remainder in founders' shares. The public subscription will be reserved for the shareholders of the Société Égyptienne Immobilière et de Travaux. M. Henri de Vries and M. Boutigny will be managing directors. During the course of M. de Vries' visit to Europe he will visit Paris, Brussels, Antwerp, and London, and will be back in Cairo at the end of this month.

## EGYPTIAN ENTERPRISE AND DEVELOPMENT CO.

The annual general meeting of this company was held on the 1st March at the registered office of the company. As stated by us already, the balance sheet shows a net profit of L.E. 68,290. The Board has therefore proposed the payment of a dividend of P.T. 90 on the ordinary shares and of P.T. 100 on the founders' shares, leaving L.E. 24-2 to be carried forward. These proposals were adopted unanimously.

The position of the company, as shown by the annual report, is most satisfactory, and the additional information given verbally by the Board was of a kind to strengthen the excellent impression made by the reading of the report. From these it seems that since the closing of the past year's accounts the company has effected the sale of lands at a price yielding a profit of L.E. 40,000 about, and that offers have been received for other lands that will give another L.E. 40,000 profit.

Operations of considerable importance are in course of negotiation with the view to the improvement of the company's property, and as these will take up the profit to be derived from the sales referred to and further sums, the Board propose to raise additional funds during the current year by the issue of debentures.

Several shareholders having expressed the wish to deal with the founders' shares fractionally, the Board have promised to study this question in taking into consideration the opinions already expressed on the subject.

## RAMLEH RAILWAY.

The following letter has been addressed to the manager of the Alexandria and Ramleh Railway Company:—

Monsieur le Directeur.—Nous soussignés, habitants de l'avenue "Victoria" et de ses environs, protestons par la présente de la suppression de la Halte précédemment dénommée "M-zoum."

Le tramway électrique traverse en cet endroit un quartier très peuplé et en plein développement. L'abolition de cet arrêt occasionne un grand préjudice. Cet arrêt était en somme un accès sur lequel nous comptons. Nous prions qu'un lieu de suppression des arrêts existants l'intérêt de la compagnie serait d'augmenter les arrêts selon les besoins du public.

Nous espérons, Monsieur le Directeur, que vous voudrez bien tenir compte de notre juste réclamation et que vous voudrez bien rétablir cet arrêt sous le nom "Victoria," son nom historique.

La Municipalité a d'ailleurs dénommée la rue de la promenade, se trouvant à toute proximité "Avenue Victoria."

Veuillez agréer, Monsieur le Directeur, l'assurance de notre parfaite considération.  
[Here follow signatures: C. T. Barber, James Carroll Willocks, Ch. Raisis, Mrs. V. Vian Vernon, Reiz van Begerem, G. Firmatari, E. Bauer, G. Calli, D. E. Pipel, J. E. Watson, René Bézér, F. W. Skates, E. G. R. Trevor, E. Alexander Powell, Agent Consulaire et Vice-Consul Général des États-Unis d'Amérique à Alexandria].

## NILE TOURISTS.

The following passengers left Shellal on Sunday by the P. S. Prince Abbas: Lord and Lady Hastings, Mrs. Jane R. W. M. R. W. Mr. E. J. Francis, Mr. W. J. L. and Mrs. Wade, Miss M. Cholmel, Mr. Harold and Miss Caroline Brocklebank, Miss Jessie Hepburn, Mr. John Smith, Mr. D. Pourtales, Mr. A. Vandeleur, Mr. H. M. Digby.

## THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY.

## DISSOLVED YESTERDAY.

The General Assembly was dissolved last night by Khedivial decree. The following are among the resolutions passed yesterday:—  
That the taxation of land not under cultivation and distant from canals and marais be discontinued.

To take all necessary measures for the irrigation of the Moudirieh of Assouan.

Reduction of school fees at Assouan to the rates in force five years ago, on account of the poverty of the inhabitants.

To replace the said or dyke temporarily thrown across the Rosetta branch of the Nile during the summer by a permanent lock bridge.

No other measures of any importance were passed.

## THE KHEDIVÉ.

Lord Cromer was received in private audience yesterday morning by the Khedive at Abdeen Palace, where his lordship remained about an hour, during which he presented to his Highness Baron George de Reuter.

The Khedive afterwards received some of the Ministers and several notables, and drove back to Koubbeh Palace at noon.

## LORD CROMER AND THE EGYPTIAN COTTON MILLS.

Mr. William Tattersall writes to the "Manchester Guardian" on the question of the 8 per cent. Exciise duty imposed by the Government on the Egyptian Cotton Mills, and in the course of his letter he says:—

"As I happened to have something to do with the question when the new mills started in Egypt, I may perhaps be allowed to say that I made representations to the home Government pointing out that, as in the case of India, it would be necessary to put on a countervailing Exciise duty of 8 per cent. on all goods manufactured by the Egyptian mills. I contended that it would be only fair and just that if our goods entering Egypt had to pay an import duty of 8 per cent., a countervailing Exciise duty should be levied at the mills."

"I am aware that Lord Cromer has visited the mills, and that great pressure has been put upon him to take off the Exciise tax, but my information is correct there is no likelihood of the Egyptian Government meeting the wishes of the cotton mill shareholders in that country."

## PAN-ISLAMISM.

"The Tribune's" Paris Correspondent writes:—"It is now stated that several public men in Egypt, who are interested in a pan-Islamic campaign, have joined the Musulman Committee which was recently formed in Paris to unite Turks in favour of a constitutional régime. I have, however, received a letter from Ali Heydér Midhat Bey announcing his withdrawal from the committee on the ground that his action is calculated to injure the real interests of the Ottoman Empire."

## MOTOR VEHICLES FOR EGYPT.

As many as thirty heavy motor vehicles are being constructed to work a service for passengers and goods at Port Said, and some of them have already been put to work.

The passenger cars are equipped on the char à bancs principle. They are fitted with a canopy supported by steel angles of a large but light section.

The angles also form supports for the seats. Sun-blinds are arranged along the sides and roll up on spring rollers. The seats reach across the width of the body, and are fitted with open tank laths, which make a light and comfortable seat. Each will hold four passengers. There are five cross-seats, and room for two people beside the driver, making the seating capacity twenty-two passengers in all.

## CAIRO MILITARY TOURNAMENT.

A most successful Military Tournament was held at the K. S. C. grounds yesterday, some of the minor events having taken place on the day before. The weather was good and the attendance most satisfactory. The profit of the tournament, as is known, goes to charities, and we were glad to see the cause was nobly supported by the inhabitants of Cairo.

The vaulting on horseback was perhaps the most popular event with the public and was most cleverly performed by the Inniskilling Dragoons. The musical drive was also an excellent exhibition of skill and nerve. In the obstacle race the obstacles were rather too difficult, and few were able to complete the course. In the tug-of-war the K. O. S. Dragoons were successful, although not as heavy as some of their opponents. In the 100 yds. Sprint, Mohrstadt was the winner, and Lee Cpl Evans in the mile race. The tent pegging for officers was carried off by Major Knight. Lieut. Forbet, of the K. O. S. B., being second. Sergeant Zell, the Coldstream Guards, won the 1 mile. The lemon cutting for officers was won by Major Haig. The bayonet teams' combat was won by the Coldstream Guards. Riding and jumping for officers was won by Major Haig. Pte. Lynnes, of the Coldstream Guards, won the obstacle race, a very creditable performance. The Inniskilling Dragoons Band played a very choice selection of music and added to the attractions of the afternoon.

## ANGLO-AMERICAN HOSPITAL.

## FUNDS URGENTLY WANTED.

The balance-sheet and income and expenditure account of the Anglo-American Hospital, Cairo, for the year ending 31st December 1906, have just been issued. They are presented in a somewhat different form to previous years with a view to showing in more detail the heads under which the money has been expended. The income and expenditure account shows an excess of expenditure over income of L.E. 6 as compared with an excess of expenditure over income in the preceding year of L.E. 196. It must be borne in mind, however, that the deficits would have been very considerably increased were it not for the continued generous support of Sir Ernest Cassel. The patients' fees received during the year ending 31st December amounted to L.E. 1,405, as compared with L.E. 953 for the preceding year, thus showing the satisfactory increase of L.E. 452, due chiefly to the increase in the charge from P.T. 80 per diem to P.T. 40 per diem made to private patients and to the increased number of patients in the hospital. The subscriptions amounting to L.E. 685 show an increase of L.E. 148 over the past year.

The expenditure for the year, after providing the substantial sum of L.E. 400 for depreciation of buildings, furniture, etc., amounts to L.E. 825, as compared with L.E. 2,775 for the preceding year. The increase of L.E. 680 is due principally to the largely increased number of patients, who amounted to 283 as compared with 194 in 1905. There was also the exceptionally heavy expenditure amounting to nearly L.E. 200 on repairs and renewals, which in the preceding year only amounted to L.E. 39. The year 1906 shows a decrease in the deficit of L.E. 190 over the preceding year, owing practically with the income and expenditure balanced.

Notwithstanding this apparently satisfactory state of affairs, it is essential that further funds be forthcoming if the hospital is to be placed upon a sound financial basis, as owing to the continually increasing demand for beds in the hospital, it will be necessary to provide increased accommodation. Funds must also be provided for completing the purchase of the land, on which three further instalments of L.E. 320 each have to be paid. It must also be borne in mind that Sir Ernest Cassel's generous undertaking to double all subscriptions, amounting this year to the considerable sum of L.E. 685, was only given for a period of ten years. It is therefore greatly to be hoped that the hospital funds will be generously subscribed to by the British and American communities of Cairo.

## NOTES FROM SUEZ.

## STEAM TRAWLER ASHORE.

(FROM OUR CORRESPONDENT.)

Suez, Tuesday.  
The S.S. Finn, one of the Norwegian steam trawlers which recently passed through the Canal on her way to Japan for whale fishing, is reported ashore near Jeddah. The vessel is full of water and has been abandoned by her crew.

Probably Captain Aiken, Lloyd's salvage officer, who is now at Suez for the S.S. Candlestone, will proceed to the spot in order to salvage the trawler.

Mr. D. A. Cameron, H.E.M.'s Consul-General, who has been at Suez on business for a few days, is returning to Port Said this evening by the 5.30 p.m. train.

The weather at Suez is apparently settling now, after the S.W. gales which have been prevailing for some time past.

## CAIRO CERCLE ARTISTIQUE.

A most successful concert was given on Sunday night at the Cercle Artistique in aid of free teaching in lay schools. Mmes. Baron, Devilly, and Poncet, and MM. E. Calais, Méry, Montoux and Moisson sang, and M. Comino gave two violin solos. The gem of the evening was Mlle Devilly's air from the "Barbier de Séville," which showed to the full her perfect technique and exquisite taste. Mme Baron and M. E. Calais made a great success of the final duo from "Sigurd," and were induced to repeat the last part of it. They finished on a phenomenally high note—no less than D flat (above the line). Mme Baron sang one of the arias from "Hérodiade" with much power and feeling. M. E. Calais was, as ever, brilliant; he has such a thorough control of his voice, and his great reverberating notes cannot but delight all who care for real strength and mastery of —let us call it "heroic" singing. Mme Poncet made a great hit with "Margot à la Fontaine," and gave, as an encore, "Bonne nuit." She was most amusing and expressive. MM. Moisson and M. Méry were both pleasing though M. Méry might have chosen something less "trite" than "La Châtaigne," which is rather a haphazard kind of song, both in words and in music. M. Cohat gave an interesting lecture on Beethoven, and M. Comino's violin solos were much appreciated: the "Sordani" movement in the Sarasate Zingare was charmingly played. M. Arohimand accompanied with great taste all through. Mlle Charpentier and Mme Baroche were unfortunately unable to be present through illness. M. Green conducted the T. Moha auction with much energy and success. Two hundred and forty pounds were realised thereby. The Khedivial Opera artists are certainly heard to more advantage on these occasions: they have no orchestra, or recalcitrant chorus to damp their efforts, and they are singing to an appreciative and uniform audience. They certainly deserved their success.

## SPLENDID HOTELS.

## CESSION DU FONDS SOCIAL.

L'Assemblée Générale extraordinaire des Splendid Hotels a eu lieu hier après-midi dans les bureaux de M. de Menasse et a été présidée par M. Félix de Menasse.

L'objet de la convocation était la cession du fonds social. Bien que les actionnaires présents fussent nombreux, la quantité des actions représentées n'était que de 15,100 sur les 22,250 constituant le capital de la Société. Aucune résolution définitive n'ayant donc pu être prise, faute du quorum qui devait réunir les 3/4 du capital, il a été décidé de convoquer une nouvelle Assemblée Générale extraordinaire pour le 26 courant, à l'effet de statuer sur l'ordre du jour.

La question de la vente du New Khedivial a néanmoins été abordée. Après quelques explications données par le Président, M. Padoa a lu l'acte préliminaire de vente faite à M. C. Baros pour la somme de 2,112,500 qui permettrait de distribuer aux actionnaires une somme de 2 £ par action. L'acheteur prendrait aussi à sa charge une somme de £11,000 avancée par la maison de Menasse et filio en compte courant à la Société et un petit procès pendant devant la Juridiction Mixte.

Mr. le Baron Alfred de Menasse, répondant aux observations de quelques actionnaires, a dit "que les bénéfices nets probables de l'exercice en cours ne seront que de 4 à 5,000 £, vu le grand nombre de dépenses de l'établissement qui viennent le grever; que l'entreprise est des plus prometteuses, mais que le Conseil a considéré l'éventualité d'une redoutable concurrence des Ritz Hotels juste en face le New Khedivial, éventualité dont M. C. Baros n'a pas manqué de se prévaloir dans les négociations et qui a décidé le Conseil à accepter ses offres."

Après quoi la question de la vente a été approuvée en principe à l'unanimité, à l'exception d'un actionnaire.

## DELEGATION MUNICIPALE

(Communication Officielle)

La Délégation Municipale s'est réunie le 5 mars 1907 à 4 h. 1/2 p.m. sous la présidence de S.E. le Dr. Schiappa Pacha.

Présents: M.M. Benachi, Y-bia Pacha, Maron Bey Youssef Baron A. de Menasse, Dr. G. Valensin, membres, W. P. Chatway, administrateur, I. Sedky Bey, secrétaire général.

Communication est donnée d'une lettre ministérielle n'approuvant pas le projet d'arrêté concernant l'établissement d'une taxe sur les clubs cercles. Cette lettre sera communiquée à la Commission.

La Délégation proposera à la Commission à l'occasion des élections des différents comités, la nomination d'un nouveau comité permanent pour l'examen des questions relatives au service des pompes.

Le Collège prend connaissance du résultat des dernières enchères des terrains des quais et fixe les prochaines ventes au jeudi 4 avril 1907.

La Délégation renvoie aux Comités d'Hygiène et des Finances une proposition de la Direction générale des services sanitaires relative à la construction d'un hôpital pour le traitement des femmes publiques.

Le service de la morgue revêtant de la police, la Délégation estime qu'elle ne saurait dans ces conditions accepter une proposition du Gouvernement tendant à mettre à la charge de la ville la construction d'un établissement de cette nature à Alexandria.

La Délégation proposera à la Commission l'acquisition d'une automobile pour les besoins de la direction, en vue des nombreuses inspections à faire en ville et dans la banlieue.

L'offre pour la fourniture de balais par M. Stamtopoulos, ayant été trouvée trop élevée, la Délégation décide de remettre cette fourniture en adjudication.

La Délégation décide, sur la proposition des services sanitaires, de prendre un arrêté tendant à la fermeture de divers baraques dont les conditions au point de vue de l'hygiène sont des plus déplorable.

La Délégation proposera à la Commission Municipale l'adoption d'un projet de réglementation du Conseil du Tansim, ainsi qu'un projet de règlement concernant la prophylaxie des maladies infectieuses.

La séance est levée à 7 1/2 p.m.

## A L'INSTITUT EGYPTIEN

A la séance mensuelle de l'Institut Egyptien, tenue au Caire lundi soir, notre excellent confrère du "Progrès," M. Galante, a fait une conférence très remarquable sur la philologie espagnole. Après avoir rappelé l'expulsion des Israélites d'Espagne en 1492, il a abordé la question des langues qui ont eu un rapport plus ou moins direct avec l'espagnol, soit l'hébreu, l'arabe, l'araméen, le turc, le persan, l'italien, le portugais, le grec et le français. Le conférencier a ensuite parlé des travaux accomplis dans le domaine de la philologie espagnole et terminé en émettant quelques réflexions sur l'avenir de l'espagnol en Orient et en Egypte. Parmi les journaux publiés dans cette langue en Egypte, il a signalé la "Vara," fondée par lui et qui paraît au Caire depuis deux ans. M. Galante, dans son intéressante communication, s'est révélé un philologue distingué et sa conférence a été chaleureusement applaudie.

## PERSONAL AND SOCIAL.

Princess Mohamed Ibrahim has arrived at the Hotel Continental, Paris, for a long visit.

Lord and Lady Brackley (who have abandoned their contemplated trip to Egypt and were obliged to land at Marseilles owing to Lady Brackley having suffered so much on the voyage) have gone to Hyères, and will not be back in England for some weeks. If Lady Brackley is well enough, they may possibly resume their journey to Egypt, in which case they will not return to London for two or three weeks.

The death is announced of the representative of a great Moslem family, head of the Dandota section of the renowned Abbasside dynasty. After exercising full governing powers over his State for only a little more than three years, his Highness Nawab Mahomed Bahawal Khan V, Nawab of Bahawalpur, the leading Mahomedan principality of Northern India, has died in his 24th year far away from his capital and his people. In pursuance of a long-cherished desire, he left India towards the close of last year, with a large retinue, on a pilgrimage to Mecca and Medina. The toilsome journey, though mitigated in its privations to the fullest extent that money could purchase, seems to have told upon the Nawab's delicate constitution. Its drawbacks included ten days of weary quarantining at Jeddah, a wire to the Sultan of Turkey asking for exemption from this delay having no effect. The Nawab died on board the vessel he had chartered shortly after it had left Aden for Bombay. The steamer returned to Aden, where the body was embalmed and re-embarked for India.

We regret to announce the death of Mr. C. P. Schafer, the English representative of the well-known German firm of Krupp of Essen, which occurred at the Anglo American Hospital at Cairo on Sunday last. The deceased, who was 53 years of age, was brother of Mr. F. W. Schafer, managing director of the Shannon, Limited. The late Mr. Schafer resided some years ago at Alexandria, where he was a cotton exporter.

Mr. R. H. Whitworth, barrister-at-law, of the Inner Temple, arrived yesterday by the S.S. Congo and has joined M. Demetriades at Alexandria.

The Savoy Hotel at Assouan is very full and there is a very fashionable crowd there.

Among the tourists due at this hotel are Princess von Hanau et Zu Horowitz, Comtesse Karoly, Sir Charles Cust, Comte and Comtesse Lichtvalde, and Mr. and Mrs. Painter.

The latest arrivals at the Savoy Palace Hotel, Alexandria, are: Mr. Hochapfel, Paris; Ibrahim Roubid Bey, Mr. Hone, Cairo; Mr. V. Bustron, Mr. and Mrs. A. R. Rich, Zeddé A. Midhat Bey, Mrs. Isabelle Bustron, Mr. Sursock, Dr. Martino Bey, Dr. Vyrnoff and family, Marquis Frége, Mr. Cattani, Paris; Count and Comtesse de Pourtales, Mr. Sid Racte, Mr. Jean Bustron, Mr. Boyl Carpenter, Mr. McLaren, Baron d'Ereiller and family, Paris; Lady Clarke and family, London; Hassan Bey, Mr. and Mrs. W. L. New York; Mr. Mortan and family, New York; Mr. L. R. Crowley, London; Mr. and Mrs. Siodano, Mr. Victor Baguz, Mr. J. Wright, London; Dr. Ponnagun, Austria; Mr. and Mrs. Porocall, New York; Mr. J. B. Sturges, Boston; Earl of Halsbury and family, Winchester; Michalla Pacha and Mme Michalla, Viscount V. d'Hautpoul, Mr. and Mrs. Z. Z. Prof. S. shadow, Berlin; and Mr. and Mrs. Omar Bay Fadel.

## STEAMER MOVEMENTS.

The S.S. Egyptian Prince, with passengers and general cargo, arrived at Manchester on the 3rd inst. from Alexandria, via Malta.

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## Calendar of Coming Events

## ALEXANDRIA.

- March.
- Wed 6 Zinzia Theatre Italian Opera Company in *Lucia di Lammermoor*. 9. Alhambra Theatre. 9.15.
- Fri 8 Lifonti's Concert Hall A. L. M. and D. S. Concert. 9.15.
- Sat 9 Mustapha Range, British Rifle Club. Match and practice. 2.30.
- Tues 19 Theatre, Mustapha Pasha. Amateur Dramatic Entertainment.

## CAIRO.

- Wed 6 National Hotel. R. Inniskillings Band. Khedivial Opera House. French Opera 9. Esbekieh Gardens Theatre. 9. Abbas Theatre Italian Opera 9. Mens House. Small Dance 9.30. Hotel Semiramis. Small Dance. 10.
- Thur 7 Ghezireh Casino. Ball in aid of Anglo-American Hospital. Ghezireh Palace. Small Dance.
- Fri 8 Trotter Egyptian. Cairo Automobile Club's Gymkhana.
- Sat 9 Ghezireh. Cricket. I. Zingari v. Cairo XI. Shepherd's Hotel. Military Band. 4-6. Mens House. Scotch Ladies' Orchestra. Afternoon. Savoy Hotel. Small Dance. 10.
- Sun 10 Zoological Gardens. Ghizeh Boys' Band. Afternoon.
- Mon 11 Shepherd's Small Dance. 10.
- Wed 13 Exhibition of Embroideries at the Saieh Training College and Girls' School.
- Thur 14 Khedivial Opera House Miss Mande Valerie White's Grand Concert. 9.
- Fri 15 Helouan Sky Meeting. Cairo Automobile Club's Ball. Shepherd's Hotel. "Fête de Nuit."
- Sat 16 British Recreation Club. Fancy Dress Ball.
- Tues 19 Horse Show.
- Thur 21 Observatory parade-ground. Egyptian Army Military Tournament.
- Sat 23 K. S. C. Gymkhana.
- Thur 28 Government Schools. Athletic Sports at Khedivial Sporting Club. 3.

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The present Windsor Hotel, on account of its unique position facing the sea, and the able management, is undoubtedly one of the most popular and successful establishments of the kind in Egypt. It was founded in 1902, and has since then steadily increased in size, until in 1906 it had doubled the number of its guest rooms, of which it now contains 65. The employment of more Capital in manner proposed by the Directors is necessary now in order to give full scope to that expansion to which the business itself shows a natural tendency.

The Vendors agree to take half of the Purchase Price of £21,000 as shown in the Contract referred to below, in Fully Paid-up Ordinary Shares of the Company.

The Founders and Proprietors of the Hotel, who have brought it up to its present success, will continue the Management for the Company; Mr. Aug. van Millingen being appointed General Manager. As remuneration for their services, they agree, in lieu of fixed salary, to receive together 15% of the gross profits as set out in the Contract mentioned below. They will hold their appointment for 5 years, and will during that time together retain not less than 5,000 Ordinary Shares in the Company.

The Vendors further undertake never in future to embark upon any Hotel Enterprise in Egypt.

The present hotel premises are held on lease from Mohammed Effendi Abdel Halek Heddaya and Mustafa Bey Tahan of Alexandria by a contract of lease at a Rental of £1000 per annum, registered at the Mixed Tribunals of Alexandria on the 30th October 1902, and containing a full sub-letting clause. The lessees, one of the Vendors above stated, Mrs. Van Millingen, née Charrel, covenants to sub-lease, as stated in the contracts No. 1 set out below, for the same consideration as the rent payable by her to the above lessors.

The accounts made up by Messrs. Russell, Kerr and Wyatt, Chartered Accountants, of Alexandria, show that the business of the Windsor Hotel has produced an approximate net profit of £2,142 for 1905 and £3,654 for 1906.

The Company will therefore possess a going concern working at a profit, which should enable a dividend for the first year to be distributed on the amount of paid up Capital.

In order, however, to provide for the expansion of the business, a suitable plot of land on the East Harbour Quays of Alexandria near the present premises has been secured at very advantageous terms, as shown in the Contract No. 2, set out below. It is intended to put up a larger building with all the modern conveniences and improvements of a first class hotel, containing Restaurant, Grillroom, Refreshment Bar, Café, Entertainment Hall, etc.

With the rapidly increasing prosperity of Egypt and the expansion of Alexandria as a business centre, a large increase in the business is anticipated.

When the new hotel has been started it is proposed to give attention to the development of hotel business generally in the other principal towns of Egypt and the Sudan.

The minimum subscription upon which the Directors may proceed to allotment is fixed by the Articles of Association at 10% of the number of Shares offered for subscription. The Directors are interested in the formation of the Company thus: Mr. Augustus van Millingen is interested as Vendor in half of the business acquired by the Company as mentioned in Contract No. 1 set out below. In addition to that, he has agreed to subscribe for 5,650 Ordinary Shares at par and has underwritten 10,000 Ordinary Shares; M. Loutfi Ayrou Bey and M. Victor K. Naggar have together agreed to subscribe 14,125 Ordinary Shares at par and have underwritten together 40,000 Ordinary Shares.

Mr. W. B. Rees has agreed to subscribe 5,650 Ordinary Shares at par and has underwritten 16,000 Ordinary Shares.

Mr. H. E. Maltass has agreed to subscribe 1,412 Ordinary Shares at par and has underwritten 4,000 Ordinary Shares.

Mr. E. G. C. Moss has agreed to subscribe 1,413 Ordinary Shares at par and has underwritten 4,000 of the Ordinary Shares.

There will be no underwriting commission payable in cash by the Company.

The consideration for the above mentioned underwriting is the right to subscribe at par and pay for the proportions of Deferred Shares stated in Contract No. 1 set out below.

The Directors are also interested as subscribers at par for 4,680 Deferred Shares in services, outlay and risk as promoters of the Company.

The amount estimated for preliminary expenses payable by the Company under Contract No. 1 set out below is £2,000, in addition to the brokerage hereafter mentioned.

A brokerage of 3d. per share will be paid on all Ordinary Shares allotted in respect of public applications bearing Brokers' stamps.

### CONTRACTS.

The following contracts have been entered into:—

(No. 1) Dated 6th day of February, 1907, made between Augustus van Millingen, and F. Blanche van Millingen née Charrel, of the first part; M. Loutfi Ayrou Bey and Victor K. Naggar of the second part; William Benwell Rees, of the third part; Henry E. Maltass of the fourth part; Edward G. C. Moss of the fifth part and F. W. C. Moss, as Trustees for the Company, of the sixth part; whereby it is agreed that the Company should be formed and registered, and whereby the parties of the first part agree to sell to the Company their business of the Windsor Hotel at Alexandria with Furniture, Fittings, Silver Ware, Crockery, Table Linen, Bed-Room Linen, Bed Room Furniture, Kitchen Utensils, and the Good-will for a sum of £1,000, whereof £12,000 is for the Good-will, the whole payable in equal portions between the Vendors, cash, and half in Fully paid-up Ordinary Shares at par to be allotted to them; and whereby the present Lease of the said Hotel Premises is granted to the Company for 4 years with a preferential option to the Company for 6 years thereafter at such price as the Vendors can get from third parties; and whereby the Vendors undertake to hold 5,000 Ordinary Shares for a period of 5 years during which they will be connected with the Company; of which A. van Millingen will be the General Manager and will together with the other Vendor be paid 15 per cent. of the gross profits with a minimum of £500 and a maximum of £2,000 a year; and whereby it is agreed that A. van Millingen will be a Director of the Company; and whereby it is agreed that a larger building shall be built for the hotel on a suitable plot of land; and whereby the Vendors agree not to embark in future upon any hotel enterprise in Egypt or the Sudan; and whereby the following parties to the Contract agree to subscribe for Ordinary Shares at par in the following numbers, viz: A. van Millingen 5,651; M. Loutfi Ayrou Bey and V. K. Naggar together 14,125; W. B. Rees 5,650; H. E. Maltass 1,412; and E. G. C. Moss 1,413; and whereby it is agreed to offer the remaining 80,000 Ordinary Shares in the following numbers: A. van Millingen 16,000; M. Loutfi Ayrou Bey and V. K. Naggar together 40,000; W. B. Rees 16,000; H. E. Maltass 4,000; E. G. C. Moss 4,000; and whereby in consideration of, and as commission for such underwriting, each of the said parties will be entitled to have allotted to him or his nominees the following numbers of Deferred Shares, at par, that is to say: A. van Millingen 8,777; W. B. Rees 2,752; H. E. Maltass 683; and E. G. C. Moss 683; and whereby it is agreed that 5 Deferred Shares shall be given to subscribers in respect of every complete 100 Ordinary Shares subscribed, including the 10,500 Ordinary Shares to be allotted to the Vendors in part payment, and the other Ordinary Shares privately subscribed; and whereby 626 Deferred shares are to be allotted as fully paid-up for services rendered, at the discretion of the Directors; and whereby 4,680 Deferred Shares are to be allotted at par, in respect of one half thereof to W. B. Rees and E. G. C. Moss together, and in respect of the other half to Loutfi Ayrou Bey, V. K. Naggar, and H. E. Maltass together, equally, in consideration of their services as promoters; and whereby it is agreed that the profit shall be divided as stated above; and whereby the expenses of the promotion and formation shall be paid in the first instance by the parties of the first, second, third, fourth and fifth part, and shall be refunded to them by the Company; and whereby it is agreed that the said W. B. Rees, Loutfi Ayrou Bey, H. E. Maltass, E. G. C. Moss, A. van Millingen, and V. K. Naggar shall be the first Directors of the Company for a period of 3 years; and whereby it is agreed to pay brokerage of 3d.; and whereby the Directors agree to remuneration of 10 per cent. of the net profits together; and whereby it is agreed that the accounts of the present business sold by the Vendors shall be investigated by Messrs. Russell, Kerr & Wyatt, and the Vendors state that the profits for the years 1905 and 1906 have been £3,500 per annum; and whereby Mr. Reginald Sileby is retained for the legal work for the Company; and whereby it is agreed that this Contract shall be adopted by the incorporation of the Company, and, failing such adoption, within 15 days by the Company, it may be annulled by notice in writing from the Vendors.

(No. 2) Dated the 11th day of February 1907 made between W. B. Rees and M. Loutfi Ayrou Bey of the one part and F. W. C. Moss as Trustees for the Company, of the other part; whereby the said W. B. Rees and M. Loutfi Ayrou Bey agree and covenant to hold that plot of land situate on the New Quays, Alexandria East Harbour, described as section (parcelle) No. XXIII, lots 2, 3, 5, and according to the plan of the Municipality dated 22nd October 1906, and put up for public auction on the 11th February 1907: for the benefit of the Company, in consideration of the price of about P.T. 1,002 per square pie being a total of about 6,800 pie; and whereby the Company shall adopt this agreement within one month after it shall be entitled to commence business.

(No. 3). There are also separate underwriting letters to the Company by the above underwriters for the amounts specified in Contract No. 1 above set out.

And there are also sub-underwriting letters to the above underwriting parties.

The Articles of Association provide as follows:—

84. The qualification of a Director shall be the holding of shares in the Company of the nominal value of £250.

85. As remuneration for their services as Directors, there shall be divided between the Directors in such manner as they may determine, or in default of determination equally, a sum equal to 10 per cent. upon the profits certified by the Auditors of the Company to have been made each year in excess of a sum sufficient to provide a dividend of 5 per cent. upon the amount paid up or credited as paid-up on the Ordinary Shares for the time being having regard to the provisions as to the division of profits hereinafter contained.

If any Director being willing shall be called upon to perform extra service, or to make a special exertion in going or residing abroad, or otherwise for any of the purposes of the Company or its Debenture Holder, and shall do so, the Company may remunerate such Director, either by a fixed sum or otherwise as may be determined by the Directors and such remuneration may be either in addition to or in substitution for his remuneration above provided.

86. Whenever the Directors may under the powers conferred upon them by clause 97 hereof appoint, and shall so appoint a Managing Director, the remuneration of such Managing Director may be fixed by the Board in like manner as the remuneration of a Director performing extra service under clause 85 hereof.

A copy of the Company's Memorandum of Association, with the names, addresses, and descriptions of the subscribers, is printed in the fold of this Prospectus.

Copies of the Memorandum and Articles of Association, of the Company, and of the Contracts mentioned herein, can be seen at the Office of the Solicitors to the Company, between the hours of 11 and 4 on the days upon which the Subscription List is open.

Application for Shares should be made upon the forms accompanying this Prospectus, and should be sent to the Company's Bankers, together with a remittance for the Amount of the deposit.

Where no allotment is made, the deposit will be returned in full, and where the number of Shares allotted is less than the number applied for, the balance of the deposit will be applied towards the remaining payments.

Prospectuses and forms of application can be obtained at the Office of the Company, or from the Bankers and Solicitors.

Dated 22nd February 1907.

### FORM OF APPLICATION FOR ORDINARY SHARES.

To the Directors of THE WINDSOR HOTELS (EGYPT) LIMITED.

Gentlemen.—Having paid to your Bankers the sum of £ being a deposit of 2/6 per share payable on Application for Ordinary Shares in the above Company, I hereby request you to allot me that number of Shares, and I agree to accept such Shares, or any less number that may be allotted to me, upon the terms of the Company's Prospectus filed with the Registrar of Joint Stock Companies, and of the Memorandum and Articles of Association of the Company, and I authorise you to place my name upon the Register of Shareholders in respect of any Shares so allotted to me.

Name (in full) (Mr., Mrs. or Miss)  
Address  
Description  
Ordinary Signature  
Date

TO BE WRITTEN DISTINCTLY.

### FORM OF APPLICATION FOR DEFERRED SHARES.

To the Directors of THE WINDSOR HOTELS (EGYPT) LIMITED.

Gentlemen.—Having paid to your Bankers the sum of £ being 1s. per share payable on Application for Deferred Shares in the above Company, I hereby request you to allot me that number of Shares, and I agree to accept such Shares, or any less number that may be allotted to me, upon the terms of the Company's Prospectus filed with the Registrar of Joint Stock Companies, and of the Memorandum and Articles of Association of the Company, and I authorise you to place my name upon the Register of Shareholders in respect of any Shares so allotted to me.

Name (in full) (Mr., Mrs. or Miss)  
Address  
Description  
Ordinary Signature  
Date

TO BE WRITTEN DISTINCTLY.

## BULLETIN DE LA BOURSE

(Aujourd'hui à midi et demi.)

Aujourd'hui nouveau recul presque général. Il n'y a eu hausse que les Splendid Hotels dont l'assemblée d'hier a approuvé la cession du fonds social aux Ritz, moyennant le remboursement des actions au prix de 5 livres.

Cette attitude déplorable est attribuée aux ventes incessantes du Caire et au solde important de liquidation de fin de mois. Il en résulte que les règlements n'ont pas eu lieu le 4 courant, comme cela eût dû être le cas. Quelques-uns font aussi remonter le drainage de numéraire aux prix élevés atteints par le coton. Ces observations sont plutôt de nature à rassurer le marché, car ces circonstances, alléguées pour justifier la baisse, sont appelées à disparaître à bref délai.

En attendant, nous sommes en pleine débâcle. Pour ne citer que les valeurs les plus importantes, l'Agricole tombe à 9 3/16, ex-coupon, la National Bank à 27 3/4, la Delta Light à 11 3/8, la Delta à 17 1/16, la Béhéra à 89 1/2, la Cassa di Sconto à 273 l'ancienne et 269 1/2 la nouvelle, les Nungovich Hotels à 29 5/8, la Nile Land à 22 1/2, la Land Bank à 8 1/16, l'Urbaïne à 7 3/8 l'ancienne et 6 7/8 la nouvelle, le Comptoir à 7 1/16 l'ancienne et 6 1/16 la nouvelle, la Buildings Lands à 5 1/16 et l'Union Foncière à 6 1/16.

Parmi les petites valeurs, l'Investment s'effondre à 1 1/16 et les Estates réactionnent à 2 3/8, vendeurs, etc.

Beaucoup d'autres titres sont en baisse, comme on peut s'en convaincre en consultant la cote.

Seuls, les Splendid Hotels s'avancent très demandés à 4 5/8, en bonne tendance. Le remboursement à 5 livres étant en principe décidé par l'assemblée, ce prix ne tardera pas à être atteint.

Quant à la tendance générale, elle ne peut que s'améliorer, aussitôt que nous en aurons fini avec les reports et les liquidations.

## Circulaire H. De Vries et Boutigny

## NOTES ET CRITIQUES

Le Caire, Mardi 5 Mars 1907.

Le taux de l'escompte libéré Londres a de nouveau baissé de 1/8 à 4 3/4 pour cent. Le Consolidé anglais a rétrogradé à 1/4 à 86 3/4. L'Union est restée invariée à 102 1/2, de même que la National Bank à 28 1/8, la Delta à 17 3/8 et la Delta Light à 11 1/2. L'Agricole a été cotée 9 3/8, ex-coupon.

A Paris, le Crédit Foncier Egyptien est demeuré inchangé à 755. La Banque d'Athènes a avancé de 2 francs à 139.

Ici, le marché des valeurs a présenté, ce matin, le même aspect peu satisfaisant qu'hier, à cette différence près que la séance a été beaucoup plus calme, les transactions restreintes, et que la lourdeur s'est étendue, cette fois, à toute la ligne de la cote.

Dans le compartiment des Banques, la National, offerte et délaissée, a rétrogradé à 28. L'Agricole, qui s'est traitée aujourd'hui ex-coupon de 9 shellings, a cédé à 9 1/4 à 9 1/4. La Cassa di Sconto a reculé à 276. Le Comptoir Financier est revenu à 7 3/8 et se part à 8 1/2. La Banque d'Athènes s'est alourdie à 136, la Banque d'Orient à 133-134 et la Banque d'Abyssinie à 5. Les parts de la Société Générale Egyptienne ont été cotées 90-91 francs.

Le Crédit Foncier a été négligé à 751. La Delta a fléchi à 17, la Béhéra à 40 et l'Union Foncière à 6 1/8. Les Allotments ont décliné à 8 1/8 à 8 1/8 et leur part à 116. L'Enterprise and Development a été négociée à 12 5/8, ex-coupon, et se part à 20 1/4.

Les Entreprises Immobilières et Travaux, toujours en butte aux hostilités dont nous avons parlé hier, ont cédé à 7 7/8; c'est là tout le résultat obtenu jusqu'à l'an départ outragément exploité; il faudra bientôt attendre les effets de l'approche d'un retour. Le part, qui a donné lieu à des transactions constantes, a été ramené jusqu'à 105 pour terminer à 110, acheteurs.

L'Epargne Immobilière s'est tenue à 2 13/16; sa part a fini à 124. L'Express Nile a été traitée à 5 1/4 à 5 1/4; sa part s'est maintenue à 130.

Dans le groupe des valeurs hôtelières, les Nungovich ont réactionné à 30 3/16, les Egyptian à 12 9/16 et les Upper Egypt à 4 5/16. La part de fondateur National Hotel a cédé à 70.

Parmi les petites valeurs, la Delta Land s'est tassée à 4 1/4. Les Estates ont fléchi à 2 3/8; leur part a été mieux tenue à 24 1/4 à 24 1/4. Les Hooker ont fléchi à 1 1/16, les New Egyptian à 25 sh., les Markets à 25 sh. 9 et les Oasis à £ 0 15/16. Les Constructions se sont alourdies à 1 1/4.

Au sujet de la situation du marché financier égyptien, nous détachons d'une de nos correspondances d'Alexandrie, en date d'hier, les remarques suivantes qui nous paraissent de nature à intéresser vivement nos lecteurs :

"Le marsem et la lourdeur qui persistent depuis quelques temps sur le marché financier égyptien tendent visiblement à déconcerter ceux qui s'attendaient, à bon droit, à une saison active exceptionnellement favorable. Tout, en effet, indiquait un fort mouvement en avant : le développement vraiment merveilleux de l'agriculture et du commerce, une campagne cotonnière sans précédent, la plus value constante des terrains, etc.

"Or, nous avons vu, sinon le contraire, du moins une période d'arrêt, qui, bien à tort, a produit un effet inquiétant sur les observateurs superficiels. Ceux-ci ont été peu à peu amenés à croire que tout était perdu, que nous sommes menacés d'une crise dont les conséquences seraient graves, pour ne pas dire calamiteuses.

"De là le découragement né d'une période de stagnation ou plutôt de transition dont je vous ai exposé les causes topiques dans une précédente correspondance; de là, la tendance, de la part de beaucoup de personnes, à liquider même leurs maillères valeurs, avec la conviction que ces valeurs avaient acquis leur maximum, qu'elles ne pourraient plus monter avant longtemps, qu'elles devaient dès lors forcément descendre et ce dans une mesure ruineuse pour leurs détenteurs.

"C'est là une erreur profonde dont ne tarderont pas à s'apercevoir ceux qui ont été induits à tomber dans le piège tendu à leurs appréhensions irraisonnées. On perd de vue, en effet, d'abord que ces titres ne sont guère au-dessus de leur valeur intrinsèque, que nous sommes à la genèse d'une ère de développement pré-que sans exemple, que la richesse et la prospérité du pays s'accroissent à vue d'œil et que, par conséquent, les bonnes entreprises financières et autres ont devant elles un avenir brillant.

"On perd également de vue que le porte feuille de nos capitalistes se compose de valeurs exclusivement égyptiennes, ce qui n'est pas le cas ailleurs, où l'on place son argent en titres de tous pays, et que, par conséquent, les bonnes valeurs égyptiennes sont appelées à progresser, à se classer en raison même de l'augmentation des capitaux disponibles, lesquelles trouvent difficilement aujourd'hui un placement plus avantageux que celui que leur offrent ces valeurs.

"Enfin il y a également lieu de prendre en considération que les capitaux étrangers tendent de plus en plus à se placer en valeurs égyptiennes, qui donnent un revenu locatif en même temps que certain.

"Toutes ces causes réunies doivent nécessairement finir par amener la hausse. C'est, d'ailleurs, la seule issue rationnelle et possible de la situation transitoire présente, car une baisse trait à l'encouragement de toutes les éventualités logiquement admissibles. Au surplus, les prix de plus en plus élevés auxquels se vend le coton sont, dans cet ordre d'idées, un signe précurseur et un facteur dont il importe de tenir compte."

## SHIPPING MOVEMENTS.

## ALEXANDRIA HARBOUR.

## ARRIVALS.

March 5

Tinio Stavros, Greek s. Capt. Andreadis, Marseilles and Port Said, Monia.

Wm. Balla, Brit. s. Capt. Go ding, Newcastle, Barker & Co.

Tebo, Ital. s. Capt. Canepa, Mersina and Beyrouth, Florio-Rubattino.

March 6

Eptanissos, Greek s. Capt. Conduris, Kustendje, Mazaraki.

E. Kabira, Brit. s. Capt. Willett, Mersina and Port Said, Khedivial Mail.

## DEPARTURES.

March 5

Maria Teresa, Aust. s. Capt. Giaia, Syria.

Salama, Greek s. Capt. Pithis, Port Said and Cyprus.

Bmp. Nicolas, Russ. s. Capt. Bourakoff, Pireus and Odessa.

Ymar, Swed. s. Capt. Eigran, Eupatoria, in ballast.

Molke, Germ. yacht, Capt. Peters, Syria.

Silverton, Brit. s. Capt. Rast, Constantinople, in ballast.

Euphrates, Belg. s. Capt. Harfuth, Salonica and Antwerp.

For SOUTHAMPTON, by the S.S. Horand, sailed on the 27th February:

N. E. Tamvaco, 2,553 tons cotton seed

For CONSTANTINOPLE, by the S.S. Vassiliadis, sailed on the 27th February:

Olga, sailed on the 27th February:

Various, 21 bales skins, 12 bales empty 230 bils, 1,180 bags rice, 30 bags flour, 125 empty casks, 14 packages furniture, 4 packages sundries

For BRINDISI and TRIESTE, by the S.S. Vespa, sailed on the 28th February:

Behrend & Co., 7,601 bags cotton seed

For PIRAEUS and CONSTANTINOPLE, by the S.S. Osmannib, sailed on the 28th February:

Various, 6 bales gum, 1,326 bags rice, 25 bags sugar, 11 empty demijohns, 622 packages vegetables, 109 packages sundries

For SYRIA, by the S.S. Niger, sailed on the 28th February:

Various, 40 packages sundries

Worms & Co., 150 bales cotton

For MARSEILLES, by the S.S. Portugal, sail d on the 1st March:

FOR MARSEILLES

Sucrieries, 146 cases sugar candy

Bomonti, 50 bags sugar

S. Stienon, 44 bales empty bags

Z. C. Zivan, 23 cases copper

Salt & Soda Co., 50 barrels oil

P. L. R. lin, 31 barrels old copper

Valas, 4 bales skins

Sté Le Khédive, 14 cases cigarettas

Amorzi, 10 cases eggs

Ades, 40 cases eggs

M. G. Zachir, 10 bags oil casks

Cassar, 25 crates tomatoes

B. Seinn, 181 "

Buhagiar, 318 "

S. Levy, 212 "

M. Kattab, 95 "

Trefili, 260 "

Delia, 820 "

P. P. Buhagiar, 849 "

Oonofri, 27 cases eggs

Attias, 100 bags onions

Vasdeki Bros., 170 bags onions  
Cook, 55 packages effots  
Rice Mills, 1,450 bags rice, 112 bags bran  
Various, 56 packages sundries  
G. Petracchi & Co., 128 bales cotton  
R. Recken, 60 "  
F. C. Baines & Co., 215 "  
Peel & Co., 169 "  
J. Plants & Co., 92 "  
G. Frauger & Co., 62 "  
Mohr & Fendler, 160 "  
R. O. Lidemann, 150 "

1,046 bales cotton

FOR DUNKIRK

Peel &amp; Co., 62 bales cotton

FOR HAVRE

M. L. Carasso, 5 bales senna

Barque Ottomane, 10 bales senna

Magiar, 14 barrels copper wire

G. Frauger &amp; Co., 25 bales cotton

FOR VARIOUS PORTS

Various, 13 packages sundries

For MARSEILLES, by the S.S. Calvooressi, sailed on the 2nd Mar

Salt &amp; Soda Co., 3,199 bags oil cake

FOR BARCELONA

For SMYRNA and MARSEILLES, by the S.S. Dioliba, sailed on the 2nd March:

FOR BARCELONA

Various, 1,124 bales cotton

FOR MARSEILLES

Various, 200 bales empty bags

For CONSTANTINOPLE by the S.S. Marie Reine, sailed on the 2nd March:

Various, 66 bales skins, 90 bags rice, 193 bags henna, 631 empty casks, 36 packages vegetables, 110 packages sundries

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## MARCHÉ DE MINET-EL-BASSAL

6 mars 1907. (11h.55 a.m.)

Cotons.—Clôture du marché du 5 Mars : Soutenu

Fair, Fully Fair, Good Fair, Fully Good Fair et

Good : Sans changement

HAUTE-EGYPTE ET PATOUM

Fair, Fully Fair, Good Fair, Fully Good Fair et

Good : Sans changement

ARABIE

Fully Good Fair, Good et Extra : Sans changement

JOANNOVIC

Fully Good Fair, Good et Extra : Sans changement

Etat du marché de ce jour, cot. : Calme

Les arrivages de ce jour se chiffrent par env. 15104

contre même jour l'année précédente env. 14867.

Graines de coton.—Sans changement

Disponible

Mit-Aff—75 1/2

Haute-Egypte—74 1/2

Béha—Fermes

Qualité Saida.—Cond. Saha P.T. 115 à 125

Fèves.—Sans affaires

Saida : Disponible

Fayoum : Disponible

Qualité Saida, Cond. Saha P.T. 115 à 120

Béha

Lentilles.—Soutenues

Disponible : Rien

Oryza.—Calmes

Cond. Saha P.T. 60 à 65

Maïs.—Sans changement

Disponible : Rien

Cond. Saha P.T. 70 à 75

Arrivages de ce jour se chiffrent par env. 15104

Contre même jour l'année précédente env. 14867.

—, cond. franco-wagon.

Exportation du 5 mars

Coton Bal. 9194 dep. le 1

Gr. de cot. Ard. 24524 Ard. 39947

Fèves

Exportations probables de la semaine

Coton Bal. 9194 1907

Graines de coton Bal. 25,000 1906

Fèves Ard. 30,000 49,000

Les prix suivants ont été pratiqués ce jour :

COTON

(BASIS-EGYPTE)

Province Béhéra

Province Garbiche

Kaf-Zayat ... De P.T. 350 à 420

Tantah ... De P.T. 422 1/2 à 450

Bani Souf ... De P.T. 350 à 390

Bibeh ... De P.T. 350 à 390

Minieh ... De P.T. 350 à 390

SECTION DES GRAINES ET CEREALES

PREMIERES GRAINES : DISPONIBLE TOUTES

Graines de coton A.S. P.T. 75 1/2 à P.T.

Béha ... 74 1/2

Fèves Saida ... 74 1/2

Fayoum ... 74 1/2

ARRIVAGES

du mercredi 6 mars 1907

Documents de l'Association des Producteurs

Cotons ... 8/8 2479

Graines de coton ... sacs 10410

Béha ... 98

Fèves Saida ... 440

Oryza ... 440

Maïs ... 440

Lentilles ... 440

Cotons.—Total des arrivages depuis le 1er septembre

1906 jusqu'à ce jour, cantars 6,552,342

Graines de coton.—Total des arrivages depuis le 1er

septembre 1906 jusqu'à ce jour, ardebs 3,571,985

Contre même jour en 1906 :

Cotons ...

This Prospectus has been filed with the Registrar of Joint Stock Companies.

The Subscription list will be opened at the Bank of Athens at Cairo and Alexandria on the 7th day of March 1907 and closed on or before the 9th day of March 1907.

Each subscriber for Ordinary shares will be entitled to subscribe for and receive an allotment at par, of one Deferred share in respect of every forty Ordinary shares allotted to him.

## UNITED HOTELS OF EGYPT, LIMITED.

(Incorporated under the Companies' Acts, 1882 to 1900.)

**Capital . . . . . £121,500**

Divided into 120,000 Ordinary Shares of £1 each, and 30,000 Deferred Shares of 1/- each

The profits of the Company made during the financial year or other period comprised in the accounts submitted to the Ordinary General Meeting in each year with any profits carried forward from past years shall be applicable in order of priority and manner following:—

(1) 5% of such profits shall be carried to a reserve fund to be established pursuant to the Articles of Association so that whenever such reserve fund shall amount to 20% of the nominal capital of the Company for the time being issued the Company in General Meeting may suspend or diminish the setting aside of any further sums to such reserve fund.

(2) The balance shall be applied to the payment of a (non cumulative) dividend for such period at the rate of 6% per annum on the capital paid up on the ordinary shares.

(3) Of the surplus 10% shall be paid by way of remuneration to the Directors and 45% shall be applicable to the payment of a further dividend on the capital paid up on the ordinary shares, and 45% shall be divided rateably among the holders of the deferred shares.

In the event of the Company's liquidation the surplus assets after repayment of the capital to the holders of the ordinary shares, shall be divided as to 50% amongst the holders of the ordinary shares and as to 50% amongst the holders of the deferred shares in proportion to the amount paid up or credited as paid up on the shares respectively.

The whole of the Capital is now being issued and the Directors offer to the public for subscription at par 40,000 Ordinary shares and 1,000 Deferred shares payable as follows:

### Ordinary Shares.

5/- per share on application.  
5/- per share on allotment.  
The balance in calls not exceeding 5/- per share at intervals of not less than one month.

### Deferred Shares.

One shilling per share on application.

The remaining deferred shares are reserved for allotment under contract Number I set out hereunder.

Subscribers may pay for their Ordinary shares in full at any time before calls are made. Warrants to bearer for ordinary shares when ready will be issued if desired to original subscribers free of stamp duty.

Holders of deferred shares will be entitled if desired to receive share warrants to bearer when ready, on payment of the stamp duty by them.

### Directors

His Excellency JOSEPH CHAKOUR PACHA, (Chairman), Cairo.  
BARON DE KUSEL BEY, (Managing Director), Cairo,  
Director of the Alexandria Tramways Co. Late General Manager of the Egyptian Trust and Investment Limited.  
ADOLPH CATTAL, Esq. Cairo, Landowner.  
JEAN JOANNIDES, Esq. Alexandria, General Manager of the Bank of Athens in Egypt.  
AHMED KHAIRY BEY, Landowner, Cairo.  
H. SPAHLINGER, Esq. Geneva, Vice Chairman of the Société d'Industrie d'Hôtels de Genève.

### Bankers

THE BANK OF ATHENS, Cairo and Alexandria.

### Legal Advisers in Egypt

A. COLLUCCI, 6 Rue Cherif, Cairo  
FREDERICK LEVEAUX, 6 Rue Cherif, Cairo, and 9 Boulevard de Ramleh, Alexandria.

### Auditors

Messrs RUSSELL, KERR & WYATT, Cairo, Alexandria and London.

### London Secretary and Offices

W. A. WATERLOW, 25 Birch Lane, London, E.C.

### Head Office

CAIRO.

## PROSPECTUS.

The Company has been formed for the purposes set out in the Memorandum and Articles of Association and more particularly for the establishment and exploitation of first-class hotels in the various towns and villages of Egypt not already provided therewith.

It is well known that beyond Cairo, Alexandria, and their suburbs, Luxor and Assuan, there do not exist many if any first-class hotels in the other towns of Egypt. The population of the latter towns has greatly increased during the past few years and the need for the establishment of good hotels in such centres is greatly felt.

The Company proposes, in the first instance, to erect and carry on first-class hotels in the Fayoum, Tanta, Mansourah, Zagazig, and Minieh, in short five of the most important and flourishing business or agricultural centres in Egypt. Mansourah is a seat of the Mixed Tribunals. Tanta is the third largest town in Egypt. Native Tribunals, as well as branches of some of the Egyptian Banks and of the most important business houses are established at all or nearly all of the aforesaid six places.

The Fayoum, which is visited yearly by numerous tourists, would probably be patronised by many more visitors if a good hotel were erected, but they are deterred at present from going there owing to the disadvantages and expense living under canvas. Now that the railway service with the Fayoum has been improved under its new administration, the Fayoum should upon the opening of a hotel of the Company become a popular resort for residents in Cairo anxious to get a change of air and scene.

Numerous people such as officials, professional men, representatives of the many Land and Finance Companies, Merchants, Business men and persons interested in cotton, constantly come and go, and make more or less prolonged stays in the above mentioned centres.

In addition to these classes of people, it is anticipated that many tourists will be glad to take advantage of the accommodation offered for seeing native life in the villages, and will patronise the Company's hotels.

An important and highly remunerative feature of most Hotels is a Restaurant and Café and the Company proposes to attach to each hotel, apart from the main building, a restaurant and café with billiard rooms. It is further intended to construct Halls or Rooms capable of being used, amongst other things, for Commercial Exchanges or Bourses, or public meetings by day, and for balls, concerts and entertainments in the evening. The Company proposes not only to let out on hire such rooms, but also itself to give entertainments such as concerts, cinematograph performances, etc., which should yield a good revenue.

It is proposed to furnish the hotels comfortably and to equip them with all up-to-date sanitary and hygienic conveniences. Each hotel will contain a sufficient number of bed and sitting rooms, bath rooms &c., according to the size and importance of the town in which it is situated. An experienced European Manager will be appointed to each hotel.

The Company has secured the co-operation of Baron de Kuse, Bey as Managing Director (ment) has a seat on the Board of Directors.

The Company proposes to acquire suitable sites for the erection of hotels in the towns and land than is required for the immediate purposes of the hotel with a view to its subsequent re-sale at a profit. As is well known a hotel of good standing increases the value of land in its immediate neighbourhood and the Directors consider that the Company should participate as far as possible in the advantage to be derived by reason of any increase in the value of adjoining land resulting from the erection of its hotels.

The minimum subscription has been fixed by the Articles at 10% of the shares offered for subscription, but the amount on which the Directors will proceed to allotment is £40,000, the amount underwritten as below stated.

The Directors have subscribed the Memorandum of Association for and will be allotted 1,000 ordinary shares and 100 deferred shares each.

The Promoter of the Company is Mr. Adolph Cattal who has agreed in consideration of his having the right to subscribe for 28,400 deferred shares at par to subscribe firm for 40,000 ordinary shares.

The following Directors are to receive from Mr. Adolph Cattal and pay for the Deferred shares set against their names for sub-under-writing the respective numbers of shares mentioned below.

	Share sub-underwritten	Deferred shares
H. E. Joseph Chakour Pacha	900	90
Baron de Kusel Bey	4000	400
H. Spahlinger	1000	100
J. Joannides	2000	200
A. Khairy Bey	2500	250

The Articles of Association contain the following provisions:—

94a. The qualification of a Director shall be the holding of 250 Ordinary Shares in the Company.

95. The remuneration of the Chairman for the time being of the Board of Directors shall be at the rate of £300 per annum. A sum equal to 10 per cent of the net profits of the Company remaining after providing for the Reserve fund pursuant to the Articles of Association and for the fixed preferential dividend at the rate of 6 per cent. per annum payable on the Ordinary Shares, shall be set aside for the remuneration of the Directors and shall be equally divided among them unless otherwise agreed among themselves. The Directors shall each of them receive in addition a sum of £2 in respect of each Board Meeting that he may attend. The Company in general meeting may at any time or from time to time vote to the Directors or any of them such additional remuneration as may be thought proper, and such remuneration may be by way of a fixed sum or by way of a percentage on profits or otherwise as may be determined. Provided that a majority of the Directors may by resolution reduce the amount or waive or postpone the payment of their remuneration or any part thereof and any such resolution shall bind the minority. An alternate Director appointed under clause 89 hereof shall not as such be entitled to any remuneration.

96. Any Director may be employed by or hold any office of profit under the Company, except that of Auditor of the Company, and may act either personally or as a member of a firm for, or render any professional service to the Company, and may receive remuneration from the Company for so doing in addition to any remuneration payable to him as a Director. If any Director, being willing, shall be called upon to perform extra services or to make any special exertions in going or residing abroad, or in negotiating or carrying into effect any contract or arrangement by the Company or otherwise for any of the purposes of the Company, or act as trustee for the Company or its debenture holders, and shall do so, the Company may remunerate such Director either by a fixed sum or percentage of profits, or otherwise, as may be determined by the Directors, and such remuneration may be either in addition to, or in substitution for, his remuneration above provided. If any Director shall be appointed to represent the Company as a Director of any subsidiary or other company in which the Company shall be interested, he shall, unless otherwise agreed, be entitled to retain the remuneration attaching to such Directorship for his own use.

102. The Directors may from time to time appoint one or more of their body to be Managing Director or Managing Directors of the Company, either for a fixed term or without limitation as to the period for which he is to hold office, and may, subject to any contract between any such Managing Director or Managing Directors and the Company from time to time remove or dismiss him from office, appoint another in his place.

104. The remuneration of a Managing Director or Managing Directors (subject to any Agreement between him and the Company), shall be fixed by the Directors, and may be by way of salary, commission, percentage, or participation in profits, or by any or all of these modes.

116. The Directors may from time to time provide for the management of the affairs of the Company in any specified locality whether in Egypt or any other part or parts of the world in such manner as they shall think fit and in particular may establish any local boards, or committees of management, administration or advice, or agencies for managing the same, and may appoint any persons including any one or more of their own body to be members of any such local board or committee, or any managers or agents, and may fix his or their remuneration, and any such appointment may be made on such terms and subject to such conditions as the Board may think fit, and the Board may at any time remove any person so appointed.

The following Contracts have been entered into

(1) A contract dated the 27th day of February 1907 between the Company of the one part and the said Adolph Cattal of the other part under which he agrees in consideration of his having the right to subscribe for 28,400 deferred shares at par to subscribe firm for himself or nominees 73,300 ordinary shares and to under-write the present public issue of ordinary shares. For the aforesaid consideration he also agrees to advance the Company's preliminary expenses.

(2) A contract dated the 27th day of February 1907, made between the Company of the one part and Baron de Kusel Bey of the other part providing for his appointment as a Managing Director of the Company for the term of 5 years and providing for his remuneration as such.

There are sub-underwriting contracts, those with the Directors before referred to being all dated the 27th day of February 1907.

The preliminary expenses are estimated at £2,000 (exclusive of stamp duty on Bearer Warrants).

By the articles the Board of Directors has power by resolution to increase the capital of the Company to £300,000 by the creation of new ordinary shares.

A copy of the Memorandum of Association which forms part of this prospectus is endorsed hereon.

Applications for shares should be made on the accompanying form, and forwarded with cheque for the amount payable on application to the Company's Bankers.

If no allotment is made the application money will be returned in full, and where the number of shares allotted is less than that applied for, the surplus will be credited in reduction of the amount payable on allotment, and any excess will be returned to the applicant.

Failure to pay any instalment when due will render the previous payments liable to be forfeited.

The above mentioned contracts or copies thereof, together with a print of the Company's Memorandum and Articles of Association, may be inspected at the offices of the Company's legal advisers at Cairo and Alexandria, during usual business hours at any time before the closing of the subscription list.

Copies of the Prospectus and application forms can be obtained at the said offices of the Company, or from the Bankers.

Dated this 1st day of March 1907.

29704-2-2

## NATIONAL BANK OF EGYPT.

### AVIS

Messieurs les Actionnaires de la National Bank of Egypt sont convoqués en Assemblée Générale Ordinaire pour le samedi 23 mars 1907 à 3.30 de l'après-midi, au siège social à Cairo.

### ORDRE DU JOUR

Rapport du Conseil d'Administration.  
Rapport des Censeurs.  
Approbation des comptes de l'exercice clos le 31 décembre 1906.  
Fixation du dividende.  
Renouvellement partiel du Conseil d'Administration.  
Election des censeurs pour l'exercice 1907.  
Fixation de l'indemnité des Censeurs.

Tout actionnaire possédant au moins vingt actions a droit de prendre part à l'Assemblée Générale à condition de déposer ses actions dans l'un des lieux ci-après désignés où il lui sera délivré une carte d'admission:

En Egypte, cinq jours au moins avant le jour de la réunion, soit le 16 mars au plus tard: au siège social, à Cairo; à la succursale d'Alexandrie; aux Agences de la Banque à Assiout, Assouan, Benha, Beni-Suef, Cheb el-Kom, Damanhour, Fayoum, Keneh, Mansourah, Minieh, Louxor, Port-Saïd, Sohag, Tantah, Zagazig et Mouky (Cairo) et dans les établissements de banque suivants du Caire et d'Alexandrie: Anglo-Egyptian Bank, Bank of Egypt, Banque d'Athènes, Banque Impériale Ottomane, Banque d'Orient, Banque de Salonique, Cassa di Sconto e di Riscatto, Comptoir National d'Escompte de Paris, Crédit Lyonnais, Deutsche Orientbank A. G.

En Europe, au plus tard le 14 mars: à Paris et à Marseille aux bureaux de la "Société Marseillaise"; en Italie dans les Bureaux de la "Banca Commerciale Italiana"; à Londres à l'Agence de la National Bank of Egypt, 4 & 5 King William Street.

Le Caire, le 20 Février 1907.

Le Gouverneur, F. T. ROWLAT.

29607-10-6

## Walker and Melmarachi, Limited.

### Five per Cent Ordinary Dividend.

### NOTICE.

NOTICE is hereby given to holders of Bearer Warrants (Ord. 1-iss) that a Dividend of five per cent, less income tax, is payable on Coupon No. 4 of the above issue, on 15th March, 1907, at the Bankers of the Company, The Anglo-Egyptian Bank, Ltd., 27, Clements Lane, London, E.C. Coupons must be left at the London Office of the Company, 65, London Wall, E.C., three clear days for examination previous to payment, and must be entered on numerical lists which may be obtained at the Head Office in London upon application. Foreign and Provincial holders must forward Coupons through their Bankers for collection, as they will not be paid through the post.

By ORDER OF THE BOARD.

4th March, 1907.

29715-8-1

## Societe Fonciere d'Egypte

### Avis aux Actionnaires

Messieurs les actionnaires de la Société Foncière d'Egypte sont informés que dans sa séance du 18 Février 1907, l'Assemblée Générale Ordinaire et Extraordinaire de la dite Société a décidé:

1. la distribution aux actions (libérées de £ 15 chacune) d'un dividende de une Livre Sterling et demie (£: 1.10.0) par action contre remise de coupon N. 8.

2. la distribution d'un dividende spécial de Cinq Livres Sterling (£: 5) par action au moyen des bénéfices réalisés sur les ventes de terres. Cette distribution sera faite contre présentation du titre pour l'estampille.

Le paiement sera effectué à partir du 15 Mars courant

au Caire et à la National Bank of Egypt, Alexandria

Le Caire, le 1er Mars 1907.

L'Administrateur-Délégué,

JOSEPH A. CATTAL BEY.

27694-8-2

## Egyptian Delta Light Railways Limited.

### Sale of Land at Delingat.

Several lots of very suitable building land in the Town of Delingat the second most important and growing centre of Bahera will be put up for sale to the highest bidders on Tuesday the 12th March 1907.

For further particulars apply to the Company's Offices Damanhour, Tantah, Zagazig, Alexandria or Cairo.

A. ADAMS,

Agent and General Manager.

9689-5-3

## Egyptian Land & General Trust Ltd.

### FINAL CALL

(MAKING THE SHARES FULLY PAID).

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the Directors of the EGYPTIAN LAND & GENERAL TRUST LIMITED, by Resolution passed at a Board Meeting held on 28th November 1906, resolve that a Final Call of 5/- per share be made upon the partly paid shares of the Company.

The amount due in respect of the call may be paid to the Company's Bankers on or before Friday, 15th March 1907. In London: Messrs. Barclay & Co., Ltd., 54, Lombard Street, E.C. In Cairo and Alexandria: The Anglo-Egyptian Bank, Ltd.

Call letters may be obtained from the Company's Office, 10, Sharia Zervadachi, Cairo.

By Order of the Board,

H. S. REEVE,

Local Secretary.

Cairo, 28th February 1907

29671-3-2

## Agricultural Bank of Egypt.

Le Conseil d'Administration de l'Agricultural Bank of Egypt a l'honneur de porter à la connaissance des Actionnaires que l'Assemblée Générale Ordinaire du 25 Février 1907 a décidé la distribution:—

1° D'un Dividende de 9/- par Action aux Actionnaires Ordinaires contre remise du Coupon N° 4.

2° D'un Dividende de £ 49.15/ par Action aux Parts de Fondateurs, contre remise du Coupon N° 3.

Ces paiements seront effectués à partir du 4 Mars 1907, par la National Bank of Egypt au Caire, à Alexandria et à Londres.

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## Helouan (Egypt) Development Co., Ltd.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the Directors of the Helouan (Egypt) Development Company, Limited have this day resolved that a FIRST CALL OF FIVE SHILLINGS PER SHARE be made payable upon the shares of the Company ON THE TWENTYFIFTH DAY OF MARCH 1907 and that a SECOND AND FINAL CALL OF FIVE SHILLINGS PER SHARE be made payable on the TWENTYFIFTH DAY OF APRIL 1907 at the Bank of Salomonica, Cairo or Alexandria.

Shareholders are further informed that INTEREST AT THE RATE OF 9% PER ANNUM will be charged from day to day on all sums due to the Company either upon a loan or calls.

SHARE WARRANTS TO BEARER are now ready for issue and Shareholders desiring same must forward written application to the Secretary together with Allotment letters and receipts for payment in full.

By order of the Board.

A. P. PHILLIPS,

Secretary.

Chareh Kasr-el Nil, Cairo.

20th February, 1907.

29697-4-3

## Societe Internationale des Employes

### D'ALEXANDRIE.

Siège Social RUE SIDI EL METWALLI No. 30 ET RUE HAMMAM EL ZAHAB No. 1 AU 1ER ETAGE

### BUREAU DE PLACEMENT

Un professeur de français et d'arabe désire être employé dans une maison de commerce ou de banque à partir de 4 h. 1/2 p.m. pour se familiariser avec la comptabilité, à titre gratuit ou excellentes références. S'adresser au Président de la Société Internationale des Employés.

Une bonne vendeuse de nouveautés parlant le français, l'anglais, l'italien, l'allemand, le grec, le russe, l'arabe et le turc demande place.

Un Français aide-ingénieur désire une place de surveillant de travaux.

Deux vendeurs de confection pour hommes demandent une place.

Un comptable gagnant actuellement £ 16 par mois et disposant des meilleures références désire améliorer sa situation.

N.B.— Pour tous renseignements s'adresser au Siège Social de la Société, Rue Sidi el Metwalli No. 30 et Rue Hammam el Zahab No. 1 au 1er Etage.

Le Secrétaire est ouvert tous les jours, excepté les dimanches et jours de fête, de 7 h. 1/2 à 8 h. 1/2 du soir.

Les insertions ci-dessus sont faites gratuitement par les soins de la Société et seuls les sociétaires peuvent en bénéficier.

Les personnes qui adressent des demandes à la Société, sont priées de joindre un timbre pour la réponse.

2-4-007

### NOTICE.

The Cairo office of the "Egyptian Gazette" have been removed from 1, Sharia Zervadachi to Telegraph Building, Boulac Road (opposite All Saints' Church), P. O. B. No. 8. Telephone No. 878.

29660-90-2

# Davies Bryan & Co.

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DUNVILLE & Co., Ltd.,	...	Belfast	Old Irish Whiskies.
WM. LANAHAN and SON,	...	Baltimore	Monongahela XXXX Whisky.
COOK and BERNHIMER Co.,	...	New York	"Old Valley" Whisky "Gold Lion" Cocktails.
STONE and SON,	...	London	Guinness Stout, Bass Pale Ale.
ALF PILSENREITER BRAUHAUS	...	In Pilsenetz	Pilsener Beer.
FREDERICK BALLON & Co.,	...	Torino	Vermouth.
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Administration des Chemins de Fer  
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TAXE DE PIERRES

AVIS

L'Administration des Chemins de fer de  
l'Etat a l'honneur d'informer le Public qu'à  
partir du 1er Juin au 31 Août de cette année,  
l'article ci dessous mentionné sera taxé comme  
suit :

Voies des Stations	Des voitures de la gare	Des voitures de la gare	Des voitures de la gare
Voies des Stations	Des voitures de la gare	Des voitures de la gare	Des voitures de la gare
Demerdache	290	400	—
Manchiet-el-Sadr	320	440	—
Pont de Koubbeh	320	460	—
Palais de Koubbeh	350	470	—
Ezbet-el Zeitoun	370	490	—
Helieh	380	500	—
Mstarieh	400	520	—
Bin-Chams	410	550	—
Ezbet-el Nakhle	430	560	—
Marg	460	580	—
voie de garage			
Alag	490	620	—
Abbasieh (Gare)	280	370	—
Voiedegarage			
Canal-mailla	320	400	—
Voiedegarage			
El-Sabel	380	460	—
Voiedegarage			
Abou-el-Ela	380	460	—
Gabbary (Gare)	—	340	—
Hadra	—	500	—
Sidi Gaber	—	500	—
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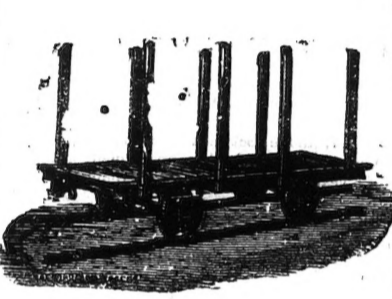
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